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Applicant: Takayo KATSUKI et al.	Art Unit: 2832
Serial No.: 09/965,538	
Filed: September 27, 2001	Examiner: K. Easthom
Title: SURFACE-MOUNTABLE PTC THERMISTOR AND MOUNTING METHOD THEREOF	

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a two-months extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated August 23, 2004, or until January 23, 2005.

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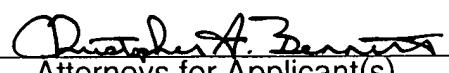
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